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1. REFTEL ASSESSMENT OF UPPER VOLTA'S POSITION IS
ACCURATE. HOWEVER BECAUSE OF CURRENT POLITICAL
SITUATION IT IS DOUBTFUL THAT PRESIDENT LAMIZANA
WILL ATTEND OAU SUMMIT. THIS MEANS THAT FORMIN ZERBO
WILL BE SENIOR VOLTAN DELEGATE.
2. IN VIEW ZERBO'S PAST HISTORY AND PERFORMANCE AT UNGA
WE STRONGLY SUSPECT THAT HIS SYMPATHY LIES WITH MPLA
AND UPPER VOLTA COULD CONCEIVABLY JOIN THE GROUP
RECOGNIZING THE MPLA UNDER ZERBO'S CONFERENCE LEADERSHIP.
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